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The following "Heading" is added after the "(10) Response to Arguments" section in the Appeal Brief filed 12/12/07 (missing Heading "(11) Related Proceeding(s) Appendix")

## (11) Related Proceeding(s) Appendix

No decision rendered by a court or the Board is identified by the examiner in the Related Appeals and Interferences section of this Examiner's Answer.

This has no impact on the Examiner's rejections and arguments in the Appeal Brief submitted on 12/12/07. The case is forwarded to the BPAI for decision.

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